

COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT (CZM) CERTIFICATION STATEMENT AND CONSISTENCY EVALUATION

If your proposed project is located within Alaskan Coastal Zone Management (ACZM) boundaries, it will be necessary for you to sign the certification statement below, answer the questions concerning current permits, and include this sheet with your completed Hardrock, Placer Mining, or Suction Dredge Application. This statement will be forwarded to the Division of Coastal and Ocean Management (DCOM) for annual review of your operation and retention in your project file. DCOM will begin the State's review upon receipt of your application from the Division of Mining, Land & Water (DMLW).

Section 307(c)3(A) of the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972, as amended by 16 USC 1456(c)(3), requires a permit applicant intending to conduct activities affecting land or water uses in Alaska's coastal areas to provide certification the activities will comply with the standards of the Alaska Coastal Management Program (ACMP).

If you are located in the coastal zone, and the project requires permits from two or more State or Federal agencies, the Division of Coastal and Ocean Management will coordinate the State's annual review of your operation. DCOM will begin the State's review upon receipt of your application from the Division of Mining, Land and Water.

If you need a Corps of Engineers (COE) Permit and an Individual Permit (IP) is required, we strongly recommend you apply for it at your earliest convenience. The process can take several months and your coastal zone consistency determination may need to be amended if a COE permit is issued.

- [] **This is a new operation, not previously reviewed for consistency with standards of the Alaska Coastal Management Program. I understand that I am required to submit an abbreviated or complete Consistency Evaluation & Certification Statement.**
- [] **This is a continuation of an on-going project, previously found consistent with standards of the Alaska Coastal Management Program – no changes have been made. I understand that if I have not already completed an abbreviated or a Consistency Evaluation & Certification Statement, I will be required to do so.**
- [] **This is a continuation of an on-going project, previously found consistent with standards of the Alaska Coastal Management Program and the following changes, as described herein, are being proposed. If the changes are determined significant, I understand a new consistency review of my operation may be required.**

Previous ACMP I.D. Number: _____ (example: AK 0706-05AA or ID2004-0505JJ)

Certification Statement

I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the proposed activity described in this Hardrock, Placer, or Suction Dredge Application complies with the approved Alaska Coastal Management Program (ACMP) and will be conducted in a manner consistent with such program.

(Applicant Signature)

(Date)

Division of Mining, Land & Water Use Only: